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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 136(a))

1. This is a petition for an extension of the time for a total period of <u>TWO (2)</u> months to <u>November</u> 18, 2003

(Indicate matter being extended)

NOTE. "Extensions of time in Patent Cases (Supplement Amendments) - If a timely and complete response has been filed after a Non-Final Office Action, an extension of time is not required to permit filing and/or entry of an additional amendment after expiration of the shortened statutory period.

If a timely response has been filed after a Final Office Action, an extension of time is required to permit filing and/or entry of a Notice of Appeal or filing and/or entry of an additional amendment after expiration of the shortened statutory period unless the timely-filed response placed the application in condition for allowance. Of course, if a Notice of Appeal has been filed within the shortened statutory period, the period has ceased to run." Notice of December 10, 1985 (1061 O.G. 34-35).

NOTE. See 37 CFR 1.645 for extensions of time in interference proceedings and 37 CFR 1.550(c) for extensions of time in reexamination proceedings.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR 1.8

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2.	A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested:			
	X	is filed herewith	h.	
		has been filed.	•	
	a case abana	e the petition for extension o	(Complete the following if applicable) g of a continuing application as a response under 37 CFR 1.136 and 1.137. To facilitate processing in such f time should specifically refer to the filing of a continuing application and also include an express tion conditioned upon the granting of the petition and the granting of a filing date to the continuing 1083, 1031 0. G. 11-12.	
		-	the filing of a continuation application having an express abandonment	
		conditioned on the granting of a filing date to the continuing application.		
3.	Applicant	is		
	a small entity -		verified statement:	
		attache	d.	
		already	filed.	
	<u>X</u>	X Other than a small entity.		
4.	Calculation	on of extension fee	(37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d)):	
	Total months requested		Fee for other than small entity \$ 110.00	
	one month		\$ 420.00	
	X two months		\$ 950.00	
	three months			
	four months five months		\$ 1,480.00	
	nve i	monuns	\$ 2,010.00	
			Fee <u>\$ 420.00</u>	
	If an	(chec An extension f paid therefor o	•	
	Exte	ension fee due witl	h this request \$ 420.00	
	Bas		esponse n requested in this petition (and that for which a previous petition the extended period for response will expire on November 18, 2003	

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6. Fee Payment

NOTE. If there is a fee deficiency and there is no authorization to charge an account, additional fees are necessary to cover the additional time consumed in making up the original deficiency. If the maximum six-month period has expired before the deficiency is noted and corrected, the application is held abandoned. In those instances where authorization to charge is included, processing delays are encountered in returning the papers to the PTO Finance Branch in order to apply these charges prior to action on the cases. Authorization to charge the deposit account for any fee deficiency should be checked. See the Notice of April 7, 1986; 1065 O.G. 31-33.

	Attached is a check in the sum of \$
$\underline{\mathbf{X}}$	Charge Account 05-0275 for any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for
any e	excess fee paid.

X Charge Account 05-0275 and this is a request to Charge for any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid. A triplicate copy of this petition is attached.

Signature

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